

Honesty and mutual confidence make men, communities and nations great beyond destruction.—Dr. Charles A. Rowan.

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MILITIA UNDER FEDERAL CONTROL NOW PROPOSED

Military Committees of Congress Studying Plan; Pay Guardsmen a Feature

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—The military committees of both House and Senate have now before them a measure which, if passed, will affect very materially every national guardman in the Union, enabling the militiamen to receive a certain amount of pay and making of the various national guards a federal force.

This is the bill which was drafted by the representatives of the National Guard Association for the purpose of federalizing the militia and obviating the necessity for the adoption of such a plan as that proposed by former Secretary of War Garrison, the creation of a continental army which would parallel to a certain extent the National Guard.

The essential features of the proposed measure are the following: Pay Under Certain Conditions.

A force of 500 men to be recruited in each congressional district, thus raising a force of 200,000 men and increasing the present enlisted strength of the National Guard by some 70,000. This force to be raised and organized in such a way as to become automatically a separate branch of the regular army in the event of war.

These militiamen to be paid by the federal government under certain conditions, only those being paid who comply with definite requirements of drill, marksmanship and soldierly qualifications to be prescribed.

One outstanding feature of the bill is to establish a Junior National Guard, to be made up of boys between the ages of 12 and 18 years, the object of which will be to form a militia reserve, from which trained recruits for the guard will be obtained when the junior militiamen arrive at the age of enlistment.

AMATEUR RADIO TO STAND TEST OF EFFICIENCY

[Associated Press by Federal Wire]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.—Complete demonstration of the state of wireless preparedness throughout the country will be made on the night of February 21. Twenty-five thousand licensed amateur radio operators of the United States will, on that date, begin relaying a message all over the country, in an effort to show how swiftly they could arouse the nation in case of an emergency.

CHURCHMAN SCORES PEACE ADVOCATES

[Associated Press by Federal Wire]

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 13.—It is a religious as well as a patriotic duty for the government of the United States to prepare this nation to meet any possible foe that might attempt to interfere with the liberty and the progress of the people, declared Archbishop John Ireland, in a powerful oration made yesterday at the funeral of Col. Joseph King, said to be the first man in the United States to respond to Lincoln's call for volunteers after the firing upon the flag at Sumner.

The archbishop lauded the quick patriotism of the dead veteran and spoke feelingly of the example which President Lincoln had set for his countrymen to follow for all time to come. He criticized unsparingly the advocates of peace at any price and boldly urged upon the nation the necessity for adequate preparedness for any eventuality.

Senator Cummins, who spoke before the Lincoln Club last night, announced that he was in favor of the government ownership of the munitions plants of the country as one measure of preparedness. The government should be in a position to manufacture all its own munitions, he said.

ARSENIC IN SOUP CAUSE OF POISONING

[Associated Press by Federal Wire]

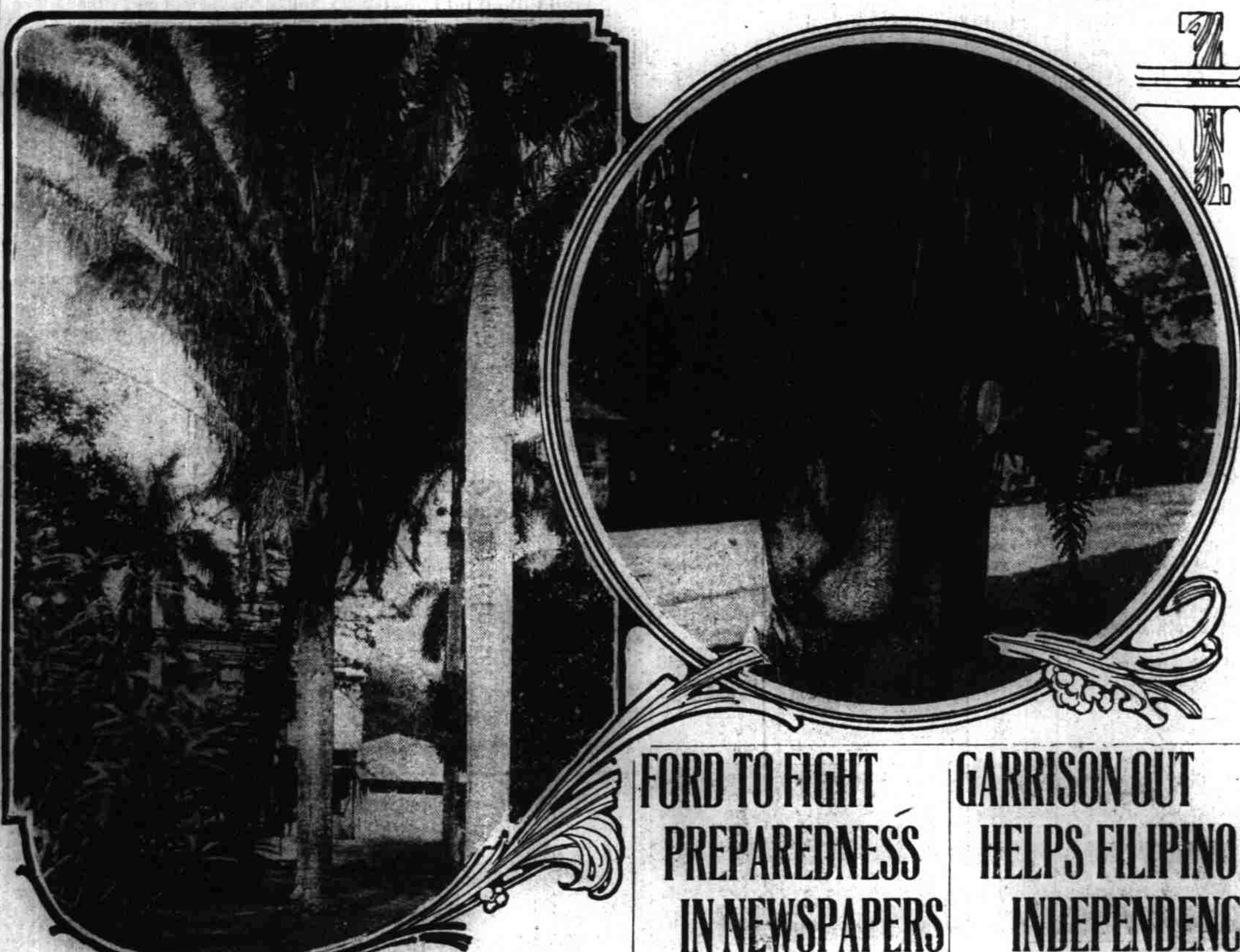
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 14.—A chemical analysis of the soup served to the guests at the banquet in the University Club in honor of Archbishop Mundelein, last Saturday night, revealed a sufficient quantity of white oxide of arsenic to kill every one of the 100 guests.

Each portion contained one and one-half grains of the poison and the kettle in which the soup was made contained 480 grains.

Although the police are still searching the city for Jean Cronos, the assistant chef, who prepared the soup, he has not yet been apprehended. Two of his friends are being held by the police.

TRY URINE EYE REMEDY
For Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and GRANULATED EYELIDS
Mark a Dot on Your Cheek—Coaches Eye Pills

Cohune Palms Will Be Palace Grounds Feature



That the plans of the Outdoor Circle to plant cohune palms in the Palace or Capitol grounds will result in splendid trees is declared in the following letter from a Honolulu, Prof. Vaughan MacCaughy, who is familiar with the tree in question.

He writes the Star-Bulletin as follows: "February 10, 1916.

"Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin.

"Sir: In your issue of February 9, the plans for planting the cohune palm in the Palace grounds are described. Inasmuch as many people in Honolulu are not familiar with this magnificent tree, I take the liberty of enclosing herewith a couple of photographs. These were taken by the writer several years ago, during an extensive survey of the ornamental palms of Honolulu. The correct name of this palm is not 'attalea cohune' as stated, but 'attalea cohune.' There are a number of very fine specimens in various parts of the city—at the Bureau of Agriculture, in the Moanua Gardens, in the Queen's hospital grounds, and elsewhere. Under favorable climatic conditions this species attains gigantic proportions, the trunk sometimes rising to a height of 40 or 50 feet, and the enormous leaves attaining lengths of 25 to 35 feet.

"In Central America this palm forms extensive jungles, and is an important fiber plant. One hundred thousand pounds of fiber were exported from Venezuela in a single year. The large clusters of fruits or nuts form the source of the commercial 'cohune oil.' "Very respectfully, "VAUGHAN MACCAUGHEY, "Professor of Botany, College of Hawaii."

CARRANZA TO SHOOT MEN CAUGHT PILFERING HIS MUNITION STORES

[Associated Press by Federal Wire]

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 14.—One civilian and one soldier, Sgt. Manuel Rojas, will die before a firing squad today, according to information from Juarez last night.

The civilian, a rancher named Sanchez, and Rojas are accused of a conspiracy to steal ammunition from the depot of the Carranza army at Juarez. Rojas has been found guilty of stealing the ammunition and Sanchez of purchasing it.

Three other civilians are to face the firing squad, but according to a statement made by the military governor, they will be pardoned at the last moment, as the intention is merely to read them an object lesson of the dangers that accompany the theft of government supplies.

MORE VICTORIES FOR CHINESE REBELS

[Associated Press by Federal Wire]

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—Despatches from Tokio, which reached here last night, reported that the rebels in China are making rapid gains. The revolutionary forces in Yunnan province are declared to have advanced in the direction of Szechuan, and to have captured the cities of Lu Chow and Chung King. In the last named place they are said to have been joined by the government forces.

Prohibition forces triumphed in East San Diego in the first election on the liquor question held in the town since its incorporation three years ago. Of 1100 votes cast the "drys" had a margin of 180.

IN WAR ARENA

HEAVY FIGHTING ON ALL BATTLEFRONTS.

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—Again comes the word from Athens that the Bulgarians have made overtures of a separate peace with the Entente Allies. This time the report comes over the signature of the Athens correspondent for the Exchange Telegraph news syndicate, and is said to be authoritative. The despatch reads, "It is now confirmed that the Bulgarians have made overtures of a separate peace to the Entente Allies."

Turkish reports claim that the British column in Mesopotamia has been severely mauled by the Germano-Turco allies operating against them there, and that the Britons have been compelled to retreat leaving their dead and wounded behind them. The battle is said to have taken place near the little city of Korna.

In France five desperate infantry attacks have been made by the Teutons in an effort to regain ground captured from their commanders in the hotly contested Champagne territory, but have failed.

Near Soissons the Germans forced the French line back, occupying several trenches, but were later evicted from these positions. Berlin claims to have penetrated through the barbed wire entanglements to the lips of several of the British and Belgian trenches in Flanders.

The Austrian aerial squadrons have made another air raid on the eastern shores of Italy, and are reported to have bombed Ravenna and Codigoro in northeastern Italy. Fifteen persons were killed as a result of this air raid and many were wounded. Among the killed were a number of women and children.

BIRDMAN WHITE BADLY WOUNDED IN AERIAL BATTLE.

HAZEBROUCK, France, Feb. 14.—Claude Graham White, the well-known aviator, has been seriously wounded in an aerial battle with one of the latest types of German flying machines. There are no details of the combat. White was commissioned a lieutenant of the British aviation corps last January for gallant services against the Teutonic birdmen.

TEUTON SUBMARINES CLAIM MANY VICTIMS.

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—With the recrudescence of the German submarine campaign five, and possibly six ships belonging to the Allies have been sent to the bottom within the last few days.

The most important of the late submarine victims is the French cruiser Admiral Charner, it is feared. The French ministry of marine last night issued a formal statement in which it is asserted that no news has been had of the Admiral Charner since February 8.

"This is the day, upon which the Berlin admiralty announced that a French warship had been sunk by a German submarine," the communique adds.

In the Mediterranean the British liner Springwell was sunk by a Teuton submarine without warning, but all of her crew were saved. The British steamer Cedarwood of London was also torpedoed and sunk, and of her crew but two are reported to have been rescued.

Berlin also reported that the British ship Arbis was torpedoed in the

FORD TO FIGHT PREPAREDNESS IN NEWSPAPERS

Plans to Launch Campaign of Education By Means of Advertisements

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 14.—Henry Ford, the maker of automobiles, is going to spend some of his money in a further fight against preparedness, according to a formal statement made for him here last night. He is preparing to begin a gigantic advertising campaign against the proposal for increasing the army and navy of the United States, and will spend millions in buying space in newspapers and magazines.

North sea last Thursday and sunk. The German report says the submarine rescued the commander and surgeon, with two other officers and 27 members of the crew. Three of the men died of exposure, it is reported, while on their way to shore.

The Norwegian steamer Alabama was also sent to the bottom. She was sunk Saturday afternoon, but her crew managed to escape in the boats.

AMERICAN BRIGADE RECRUITING IN CANADA.

TORONTO, Canada, Feb. 14.—Four thousand Americans who have been living in Canada are to be recruited into an American brigade to serve against the Germans with the forces of the Dominion in Flanders. The work of recruiting has begun among the thousands of Americans who have taken up homes in various parts of the Dominion, particularly in the western districts.

ITALY STOPS TRANSPORTATION OF TEUTON MERCHANDISE

ROME, Italy, Feb. 14.—The Italian government has issued a royal decree which forbids the transit through Italy of any Austrian or German merchandise. The decree also prohibits the importation into Italy of any goods made or coming from Austria or Germany.

ARMENIAN MASSACRES AGAIN REPORTED

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—A special despatch to the London Times from its correspondent in Bucharest reports that fresh Turkish atrocities against the Armenian Christian population have begun under orders from Constantinople. Many massacres of helpless women and children have been reported already.

DISTILLERIES TAKEN FOR MUNITION FACTORIES

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—The London Times announces this morning that the government immediately will begin the work of transforming several of the whiskey distilleries into plants for the manufacture of munitions of war. It is intended to forbid the importation of barley for the manufacture of whiskey.

NORTHCLIFFE WON'T TAKE AVIATION JOB, HE SAYS

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—Lord Northcliffe, the celebrated publisher and publicist, replies to the suggestion that he be appointed minister of state for aviation, in the Times this morning. He declares that "there are lots of men in the Empire far better qualified for the post than I am." He adds that he could not conscientiously take part with a government that is fighting a defensive rather than an offensive war.

GARRISON OUT HELPS FILIPINO INDEPENDENCE

Measure is Almost Certain of Passage Now, Declare Legislators

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.—It is generally conceded among the members of Congress that the resignation of Secretary of War Garrison has done much to enhance the chances for the independence of the Philippines, as provided for in the Clarke amendment. Not a few prominent senators have gone the length of saying that the withdrawal of Mr. Garrison makes the passage of the bill with the amendment a practical certainty. This means the independence of the islands in four years.

BOSTON BUSINESSMEN DON'T WANT BRANDEIS ON SUPREME BENCH

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.—President Lowell of Harvard and 54 other prominent Boston business and professional men have signed a protest against the confirmation of the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis. The petition will be submitted to the senate subcommittee today.

J. T. TROWBRIDGE, WELL KNOWN AUTHOR, DEAD

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] ARLINGTON, Mass., Feb. 13.—John Townsend Trowbridge, the widely known author, died at his home here yesterday.

John T. Trowbridge was one of the last survivors of the group of authors who made Boston a famous literary center in the first three decades of the last half of the nineteenth century. Although his chief success came from the writing of books for boys, he also published several novels and volumes of poetry.

FIRE WIPES OUT DELAWARE TOWN

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 14.—Fire last night destroyed the little town of Shelbyville, in Sussex county. The loss is reported to be in the neighborhood of \$100,000, but as the wires are down and there are no details of the disaster it is impossible to give definite figures.

PRESIDIO POST IS BEREFT OF TROOPS

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 14.—For the first time in years the Presidio here is without troops. The last command to occupy the big army post has been ordered away. This was the 24th Infantry of colored soldiers, and it left yesterday for its new station at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

CANOE UPSPTS AND TWO MEN ARE DROWNED

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 14.—Charles Kirkpatrick and Harry Gamble, bank clerks of this city, were drowned Saturday night when their canoe was overturned in the Willamette river floods. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

LOOTERS CAUGHT IN FLOODS AND SWEEPED TO DEATH

Arkansas Victims Said to Be Twenty-two; Much Damage to Property

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 14.—The latest advice from the flooded district now put the number of deaths due to the overflow at 22, and officials here believe that this number will be exceeded when the floods subside and it is possible to make a careful census of the loss of life and damage caused.

Three of the persons drowned were negroes, who were caught in an eddy of the floods after having robbed a family of planters marooned in the upper branches of a tree. The supplies which had been saved by the marooned persons were on the roof of the flooded house, and could be reached only in a boat.

The negroes paddled up in the dark, and were removing the stores, when their boat was swept into the eddy and overturned. All the occupants were drowned.

NEW GERMAN MANIFESTO AGAINST ARMED SHIPS RECEIVED AT WASHINGTON

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—The German note announcing the intention of the German admiralty to attack without warning and sink without mercy any merchantman of the Allies which is armed for defense and which by so arming forfeits her right to be regarded as other than a warship, to take effect after February 29, was received by the state department yesterday.

DISASTROUS FIRE DESTROYS LABORATORIES AT CORNELL UNIVERSITY

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Morse hall, containing the laboratories of the Cornell University scientific equipment, was burned to the ground last night. The loss will total more than \$300,000 and it will be impossible to replace some of the chemicals until after the end of the war.

GARRISON OFFERING TO POST SUCCESSOR

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Former Secretary of War Garrison has offered the President to assist his successor in becoming familiar with the duties of office he has vacated. It was learned here yesterday. The former secretary has up to date refused to make any statement regarding his reasons for resigning his office, and he repeated his determination to remain silent when interviewers questioned him yesterday.

ARMY OF FERRETS GOING TO TRENCHES

LONDON, England.—Ferrets are the latest to be enlisted on the side of the Allies. The British government has closed a contract for 800 ferrets to be sent to Flanders to kill the enormous numbers of rats infesting the British trenches. "Rat squads" are being organized. The demand for ferrets is so great the price has risen from 25 cents to \$1.25.

AT ONCE! STOPS STOMACH MISERY AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" Makes Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomachs Feel Fine

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Diapepsin, for this reason: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure "Pape's Diapepsin" is quick, positive and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back. You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.—adv.

JAPANESE ARE DISMISSED FROM U. S. NAVY SHIPS

Loss of Code Book Declared to Have Been Incentive for Department Order

[Special Cable to Hawaii Ship] SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 13.—The loss of a naval code book from the destroyer Hull some months ago has afforded the San Francisco Examiner the opportunity of opening up another series of attacks against the Japanese residents of California, the Examiner stating that the code book was stolen from the Hull by a Japanese steward named Fujo Moto. This boy is an illiterate, able to read neither Japanese nor English and quite incapable of distinguishing the value of the stolen book.

The fact that a Japanese steward was employed on the Hull at the time the code book was lost, however, has resulted in an order from the navy department at Washington under which yesterday every Japanese in the American naval ships was discharged. There were a number of waiters and stewards of Japanese nationality on the warships yesterday, but there are none today.

Fuel has been added to the Examiner's attacks by the fact that Rev. Bandu Yabutshi, the veteran Buddhist priest, has just purchased a tract of a thousand acres in Lower California, just below the line south of Los Angeles, where he states he will found a model Japanese colony. The Examiner is protesting at the establishment of a colony so close to the California line.

GUNNERY TROPHY WON BY CRUISER SAN DIEGO

[Associated Press by Federal Wire] SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 14.—The Spokane trophy for excellence in gunnery was presented to the armored cruiser San Diego here yesterday afternoon. Cmdr. Robertson made the formal presentation with a little address in which he complimented the men and officers of the cruiser in having won the coveted prize. The battleship Arkansas held the trophy for 1913 and 1914.

Fire which threatened to destroy the Norwegian town of Molde was brought under control after it had caused a loss estimated at \$500,000. Sixty houses were destroyed.

Masonic Temple Weekly Calendar

MONDAY—Honolulu Lodge No. 409, Stated, 7:30 p. m.
TUESDAY—Honolulu Commandery No. 1, Special, Red Cross Degree, 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—Hawaiian Lodge No. 21, Special, First Degree, 7:30 p. m.
THURSDAY—Honolulu Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., Stated, Mark Master Degree, 7:30 p. m.
FRIDAY—Oceanic Lodge No. 371, Special, Second Degree, 7:30 p. m.
SATURDAY—Harmony Chapter No. 4, O. E. S., Stated, 7:30 p. m.

SCHOFIELD LODGE
WEDNESDAY—
SATURDAY—

HONOLULU LODGE NO. 1, MODERN ORDER OF PHOENIX

Will meet at their home, corner of Seretania and Fort streets, every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. CHARLES HUSTACE, Jr., Leader. FRANK MURRAY, Secretary.

HONOLULU LODGE, 916, S. P. O. E. meets in their hall on King St., near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. O. J. MCCARTHY, E. R. W. DUNN, Secy.

HERMANN'S SONNE.

Versammlungen in K. of P. Hall. Montags, Januar 9 und 17; Februar 7 und 21; Maers 6 und 20.

W. WOLTERS, President. C. BOLTE, Sekretar.

Honolulu Branch of the National German American Alliance of the U. S. A.

Meetings in K. of P. Hall on Saturdays: February 12, March 12, April 8, May 6, June 3, July 1. PAUL R. ISENBERG, President. C. BOLTE, Secretary. 6374—Jan. 18 to July 1 incl.